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Kutaragi et al.

Application No.: 10/061,982

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For: COMPUTER SYSTEM AND USAGE METHOD
THEREOF

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examining the above-identified patent application,
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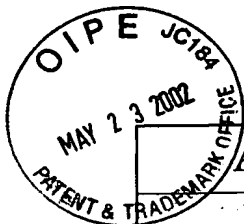
The Examiner is requested to review and approve the enclosed proposed corrections to FIGS. 1-7, marked in red on the attached copies of same. These changes to FIGS. 1-7 correct for inconsistencies between FIGS. 1-7 as originally filed and the specification. No new matter is added by the drawing changes. These drawing changes have been forwarded to the Official Draftsman pursuant to MPEP § 608.02(r).

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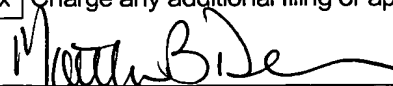
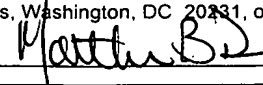
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